

**LIMA 2019 PARAPAN AMERICAN GAMES  
JUDO CANADA  
PARAPAN AMERICAN JUDO TEAM SELECTION CRITERIA**

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

Judo Canada (JC) selection agreement represents the internal nomination procedures of Judo Canada. These criteria set forth the method by which Judo Canada will determine its Lima 2019 Parapan American Team nominations for submission to the Canadian Paralympic Committee (CPC). Therefore, if Judo Canada qualifies for entry in the Lima 2019 Parapan American Games in accordance with International Federation (IF) rules and regulations of Para PanAmerican Committee 2019 Lima eligibility criteria , athletes eligible to be nominated by Judo Canada to the CPC for selection to the 2019 Canadian Parapan American Team must be those who:

### **1.1**

- i. Have met the Lima 2019 Parapan American Selection Minimum Qualification Standards.
- ii. Qualify for nomination in accordance with Section II of this Schedule entitled “JUDO CANADA INTERNAL NOMINATION PROCEDURES”.

1.2 The Sport Director of Judo Canada may nominate to the CPC up to the maximum number of athletes permitted by the Lima 2019 Parapan American Games entry regulations in each event, and overall, subject to points 1.1 i and ii above.

1.3 The final qualification date is June 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019. Lima 2019 Parapan American team nominations must be submitted to the CPC no later than, July 2<sup>nd</sup> , 2019.

1.4 Once the CPC accepts those athletes nominated by Judo Canada according to 1.1 i and ii above, it is up to Judo Canada to decide the actual athletes to be entered in the specific events at the Lima 2019 Parapan American Games (see Section III below).

1.5 Judo Canada may produce an addendum to this selection document to clarify the terms of or to address other issues which may have been overlooked initially or have unexpectedly arisen. However, only in the event that either CPC or Judo Canada agree on a change will any change be made to these selection criteria and athletes will be informed by Judo Canada of any such changes .

## **2.0 JUDO CANADA INTERNAL NOMINATION PROCEDURES**

2.1 In cases where the number of athletes who have met the Lima 2019 Parapan American Games Team Selection Policy criteria is equal to or less than Canada’s maximum entry quota for Judo, those athletes who have met these criteria will be nominated to the CPC by Judo Canada.

2.2 In cases where the number of athletes who have met the Lima 2019 Parapan American Games Team Selection Policy exceeds the maximum number of qualification slots, the following will apply:

2.2.1 Based on the International Blind Sports Association (IBSA) ranking list as of **December 31, 2018**, Judo Canada will nominate the athletes with the highest international ranking up to the maximum number of Lima 2019 Parapan American Games entry slots allocated to Canada by CPC.

2.2.2 If Canada still has entry slots available agreed upon by the CPC after selecting athletes based on 2.2.1, and there are classified athletes who are not ranked on the IBSA ranking list of December 31, 2018, Judo Canada will select additional athletes until all entry slots have been used, with the selection being based on an evaluation of the performance potential of the athletes by the National Team Coaching Staff and the athlete's commitment to the National Program. The Performance potential will be assessed as follows: technical, tactical, physical and mental readiness to compete at the international level, measured by a capacity to sustain an adequate simulation of VI judo competition (sparring) performed at Judo Canada's National Training Centre.

2.3 If an athlete who has qualified for the team becomes injured, Judo Canada may nominate the next ranked individual athlete on the IBSA ranking list as of December 31, 2018 if an athlete is ranked but has yet to be nominated or otherwise the National Team Coaching Staff will make a selection as per section 2.2.2 provided the athlete being nominated has met all required selection criteria to replace the injured athlete, subject to IF and Lima 2019 Parapan American regulations. Judo Canada's medical team will assess the injured athlete and determine if he/she is unable to compete.

The list of athletes nominated by Judo Canada will be published on June 2nd, 2019

### **3.0 ENTRY AT THE LIMA 2019 PARAPAN AMERICAN GAMES**

3.1 Once the final nomination list of Judo Canada is accepted by the CPC, all athletes will have equal status as qualified Parapan American Team members.

3.2 Athletes nominated in their respective events by Judo Canada to the CPC will be entered in those events at the Parapan American Games.

Upon arriving on-site at the Games, Judo Canada Parapan American Coach/Team Leader will provide the final confirmation of athletes' participation in each of their individual events and will make any required entry changes.

### **4.0 ATHLETE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

4.1 All potential Lima 2019 Parapan American Team members are required to read, sign and return this document by June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019.

4.2 All Lima 2019 Parapan American Team members are required to read, sign and return by July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 the attached CPC Team Members Agreement form to Judo Canada.

### **5.0 APPEALS TO JUDO CANADA INTERNAL NOMINATION PROCEDURES**

5.1 Due to the CPC Team Nomination deadline, appeals must be received within 48 hours of the publication of the team list. As the final submission to CPC for entry to the Lima Parapan American games is July 17<sup>th</sup>, appeals must be completed by the 17<sup>th</sup> in order for athletes to be eligible for the Lima 2019 Parapan American Games. Judo Canada reserves the right to conduct an expedited appeal process through the Sport Dispute Resolution Centre of Canada (SDRCC), superseding the appeal for selection process in the National Team Selection – Rule Book, if appeals are in jeopardy of not being completed before the July 17<sup>th</sup> deadline.

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Sport Director  
Position of Judo Canada signee

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Date

January 17, 2019  
Date